

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Public Works and Safety of the City of West Lafayette, Indiana, will receive sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk-Treasurer, City Hall, 609 West Navajo St., West Lafayette, IN 47906, until the hour of 8:30 a.m. (Local Time) on April 3, 2012, for the **Soldiers Home Lift Station Improvements Project**. After said time, all bids will be taken to the Board of Works meeting at City Hall Council Chambers and all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids received after said time will be returned unopened. No oral, telegraph, facsimile, or telephone bids or changes to bids will be considered.

The contract will consist of the following:

The project involves improvements to the existing Soldiers Home Lift Station. The lift station has four (4) dry levels, with an adjacent wet well. The improvements outside the lift station include, but are not limited to, the following: replacement of the existing driveway, cleaning and coating the existing wet well, installing a new wet well access, installing a new vault with flow meter and emergency bypass access, and installing a new generator on an elevated concrete platform. The improvements within the lift station structure include, but are not limited to, the following: demolition of existing equipment; cleaning and coating the interior of the station; replacement of manlift, railing, sump pumps, and ventilation/heating equipment; installation of three (3) new pumps, with associated valves, piping, controls, and electrical equipment.

Bids shall be in a sealed envelope marked "Soldiers Home Lift Station." All bids must be submitted on the forms as identified in the Contract Documents and Specifications.

The bid must be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check or a bid bond in an amount of not less than 5% of the total bid price made in favor of the City of West Lafayette, Indiana, which amount shall accrue to and become the property of the City should the Bidder, awarded the contract, fail to enter into the required written agreement and secure same with the required Performance and Payment Bonds each in the amount of 100% of the contract price. Wage rates shall not be less than the common construction wage as determined pursuant to IC 5-16-7-1 et seq. as amended.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and waive irregularities of bidding.

Copies of the Drawings and Specifications for the work are on file at the West Lafayette Wastewater Treatment Facility, 500 South River Road, West Lafayette, IN 47906, and HWC Engineering, 151 N. Delaware Street, Suite 800, Indianapolis, IN 46204, Phone (317) 347-3663.

Drawings and Specifications may be obtained at <http://www.easternengineering.com> for a non-refundable cost of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) plus actual shipping costs per set purchased. Electronic (pdf) sets can also be obtained for a non-refundable fee of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00).

A pre-bid meeting will be held at 10:00 a.m. (Local Time) on March 21, 2012 at the West Lafayette Wastewater Treatment Facility, 500 South River Road, West Lafayette, IN 47906. All prime contractors, subcontractors, small, minority or women owned enterprises and other interested parties are invited to attend.

CITY OF WEST LAFAYETTE
Judith C. Rhodes
Clerk-Treasurer

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